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Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)
	09/894,653	DEDU-CONSTANTIN ET AL.
	Examiner Susan Y. Chen	Art Unit 2161

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

- (1) Susan Y. Chen. (3) Evan Perry.
 (2) Ron Krosky. (4) _____.

Date of Interview: 31 May 2007.

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference
 c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.
 If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: Claim 1 of the proposed amendments.

Identification of prior art discussed: N/A.

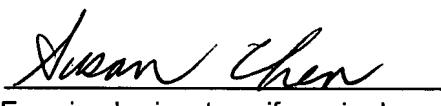
Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: See Continuation Sheet.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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Susan Chen
 Examiner's signature, if required

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant briefly disclosed the novelty of instant invention via the proposed amendment as faxed on 05/31/07 and argued that the proposed amendment overcome the prior art rejection on record. The examiner indicated that the prior art rejection on record is based on the amendment filed on 02/28/2007. Because the newly proposed amendment changes the scope of instant invention, it raises new issues that would require further reconsideration and/or search.